





8. (Original) An electric power steering device as described in claim 6 wherein at lest one of said drive gear and said driven gear is formed from a first gear serving as a section of a teeth face, a second gear serving as a remaining section of a teeth face, and biasing means biasing said first gear and said second gear toward or away from each other along a pitch circle.

9. (Original) An electric power steering device as described in claim 2, wherein said housing includes a grease reservoir, disposed below said drive gear and said driven gear, storing grease.

10. (Original) An electric power steering device as described in claim 3, wherein said housing includes a grease reservoir, disposed below said drive gear and said driven gear, storing grease.

11. (Currently Amended) An electric power steering device as described in claim 4, wherein said housing includes a grease reservoir, disposed below said drive gear and said driven gear, storing grease.

12. (Currently Amended) An electric power steering device as described in ~~claim 5~~ claim 5, wherein said housing includes a grease reservoir, disposed below said drive gear and said driven gear, storing grease.

13. (Original) An electric power steering device as described in claim 6, wherein said housing includes a grease reservoir, disposed below said drive gear and said driven gear, storing grease.







29. (Original) An electric power steering device as described in claim 14, wherein a seal is disposed between said ball screw mechanism and said drive gear and said driven gear to provide a sealing effect.

30. (Original) An electric power steering device as described in claim 15, wherein a seal is disposed between said ball screw mechanism and said drive gear and said driven gear to provide a sealing effect.